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**THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE**

In re application of:

**Tatyana DUTOVA et al.**

Serial No.: 10/601,238

Filed: June 20, 2003

For: **ANISOTROPIC FILMS BASED ON  
1,8-NAPHTHOYLENE-1'2'-  
BENZIMIDAZOLE SULFONATES  
AND LYOTROPIC LIQUID  
CRYSTAL SYSTEMS AND  
METHODS FOR MAKING**

Examiner: **WU, Shean C.**

Art Unit: **1756**

Confirmation No.: **9182**

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**AMENDMENT /RESPONSE**

Mail Stop Fee Amendment  
Commissioner for Patents  
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Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Sir:

In response to the Office Action mailed March 25, 2004, Applicants submit the following amendments to the specification, claims and remarks. A petition for a two month extension of time is filed herewith bringing the period of response to August 25, 2004.

**Amendments to the Specification** begin on page 3 of this paper

**Amendments to the Claims** are reflected in the listing of claims which begin on page 8 of this paper.

**Amendments to the Drawings** begin on page 25 of this paper.

**Remarks** begin on page 26 of this paper.

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